

THE GAZETTE.

SATURDAY EVENING, APRIL 6.

A DIAMOND ROMANCE.—A foreign correspondent writes:—"At Old Calabar I met an Englishman in November last, who was actually suffering from the want of the necessities of life. This Englishman was formerly a wealthy dealer in the sugar trade of Liverpool, and failed in 1864. Since that time circumstances went steadily against him, until the African diamond uproar aroused his ambition. After some difficulty he procured a loan from an old friend, so that he might pay his way out here. Months and months passed, and the unfortunate Mr. Sandford, formerly merchant of Liverpool, became disheartened. He lived upon the charity of those he met who spoke his language. On the fifth morning of last December, Mr. Sandford renewed work on a little lot which he had frequently abandoned. On that morning he discovered ten stones, averaging ten carats each, which made their aggregate value £1,000 or \$5,000 gold. His fortune did not abandon him at £1,000. On the following day he was offered £5,000 for his lot or claim, as the English call it. He refused, and that night came seeing Sandford the master of £20,000, or \$100,000 in gold. He still continued to work, but for several days his toil was fruitless and he began to suspect that his little estate had 'gone dry.' Still luck haunted him, for on the 16th of December he raised \$10,000 worth of diamonds, and on the 20th he discovered \$30,000 worth of the finest stones ever seen in that quarter, and on Christmas Eve he had the greatest luck of all. Fifteen large and splendid diamonds found that day brought him \$35,000. This was his last hit. Then the yellow clay began to appear in his lot, and yellow clay is a sure sign that the diamonds are all exhausted. Sandford returned to England with \$55,000, or about \$275,000 in gold.

FURNISHING GOODS.

HABLE BROS.,
FASHIONABLE
TAILORS.

Corner 7th and D streets.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Spring opening.
Spring opening.

NOW

O-O-O-O-O-P-E-N,

WITH A GORGEOUS STOCK OF RICH AND VARIOUS STYLES OF

SPRING CLOTHING,

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

Gentlemen's Spring Overcoats,

Fine Spring Suits.

Splendid Business Coats.

Boys' Brown Suits.

Boys' Drab Suits.

Boys' Blue Suits.

Boys' Black Suits.

Boys' Fancy and Striped Suits.

AND ALL OTHER VARIETIES.

NOVELTIES OF DESIGN.

EXCELLENCE OF WORKMANSHIP.

SUPERIORITY OF FINISH.

Gentlemen who still prefer clothing made to order are invited to our Custom Department, where they will find all the newest Fabrics and Fashions, and Cutters of unsurpassed skill to execute their orders.

IT IS IMPOSSIBLE
IT IS IMPOSSIBLE
IT IS IMPOSSIBLE

To Buy as Cheap Anywhere
To Buy as Cheap Anywhere
To Buy as Cheap Anywhere

AS AT

HABLE BROS.,
FASHIONABLE TAILORS.

Corner Seventh and D streets,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Washington, ap 3-3m.

AGENTS WANTED

TO SELL THE

HOME SHUTTLE SEWING MACHINE.

The best and only first-class cheap machine ever made.

It retails, by hand, \$25; table and Treadle, \$37. It uses a straight needle; makes the lock-stitch; has the underfeed, and can do all the work of any ordinary machine, and is warranted for five years.

Very liberal inducements offered to agents.

Send for Circular and samples of sewing.

SAM'L C. PHILLIPS, Gen. Agt.,

ap 4-3t 100 Church St., Norfolk, Va.

CHEAP CARRIAGES FOR CHILDREN.

Another lot of those cheap CARRIAGES—slightly damaged—to be sold at half price. Arrived to-day by New York steamer.

CHARLES W. GREEN,

mh 26 76 King street.

TURK'S ISLAND SALT.

5,000 bushels

TURK'S ISLAND SALT,

to arrive per schr Jan. For sale at lowest market rates by

ap 5 HOOD & JOHNSTON,

No. 2 Prince street.

LADIES' AND GENTS' SCARFS.

Received by to-day's express a beautiful assortment of Ladies' and Gents' Scarfs, Call and examine them.

ap 5 HOOD & JOHNSTON,

No. 2 Prince street.

HEAVY CHEMICALS—Alum, Copperas,

Bluestone, Epsom Salts, Borax, Flower Sulphur, Brimstone, Glauber Salts and Sal Soda, in store in large stock and for sale in quantities to suit purchasers at lowest market rates.

ap 5 J. JANNEY & CO.

BAR IRON, Pig Iron, Lard, and other heavy Hardware, on hand and for sale at lowest prices at 86 King street, corner of Royal.

ap 6 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

AUCTION SALES.

By F. A. Kerby, Auctioneer.
SALE OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
—of the
ESTATE OF MRS. LUCY L. TURNER.
Deceased.

Will be sold on
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10th,
at 10 o'clock a. m., at
No. 113 ORONO STREET,
between Washington and St. Asaph streets, the
FURNITURE
of the estate of Mrs. Turner, consisting of
BEDSTEADS,
CHAIRS,
MARBLE-TOP and
OTHER TABLES, &c.
C. F. LEE, Jr., Executor.

ap 1-3, 5, 8, 9

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

TRUSTEES' SALE OF A TRACT OF

LAND near the village of Acotink, in the

county of Fairfax.—By authority of a deed from

J. B. Troth and wife, dated October 1st, 1869,
and recorded in liber K, No. 4, folio 220, of the

land records of Fairfax county, conveying to

the undersigned as trustee, a TRACT OF

LAND, in said county, near the village of Acotink,
in trust, to secure a note in said deed de-

scribed, for the sum of \$1,061.48, I will sell, by

public auction, in front of the Mansion House
Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, on SATUR-DAY, the 13th day of April, 1872, at twelve
o'clock m., the said TRACT OF LAND, in said

deed mentioned, containing 404 acres, including

one acre, three rods and thirty-one poles cov-

ered by the turnpike leading to Alexandria, leav-

ing forty-four acres, one road and nine poles ex-

clusive of that covered by the tide, and for a more
particular description of which reference

is hereby made to the said deed.

Terms: So much of the purchase money to be

paid in cash as will be sufficient to pay the

amount due on said note, the expenses of sale,
taxes and other costs, and the residue thereof tobe secured by the notes of the purchaser, with
approved security, and the retention of the title tothe property until they are paid.
H. O. CLAUGHTON, Trustee.

Fairfax county, mh 9-15

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

BY VIRTUE OF A DECREE OF THE

Corporation Court for the city of Alexan-

dria, Va., rendered at the March term, 1872, of
said Court, in the suit of James B. Williamson
vs. George Davis et al., the undersigned, com-

missioner, appointed by the said decree, will ex-

pose to sale, by public auction, in front of the
Mansion House, Alexandria, Va., on SATUR-DAY, the 13th day of April, 1872, at 12 m., the
HOUSE and LOT, No. 187, Cameron street,
Alexandria, Va., at present occupied by
George Davis.

Terms: One-fourth of the purchase money in

cash, and the residue in three equal payments of

six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of
sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be
secured by the notes of the purchaser, with ap-proved security, and the retention of the title to
the property until they are paid.
ALBERT STUART,
Comm'r. of Sale.

ap 3-15

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

DESIRABLE DWELLING IN THE CITY

OF ALEXANDRIA FOR SALE.—By
virtue of a decree of the Corporation Court for the
city of Alexandria, pronounced at its March
term, 1872, in the suit of Rishell and others,
plaintiffs, vs. Rishell and others, defendants,
chancery, the undersigned, commissioner there-in named, will proceed, on SATURDAY, the
27th day of April, 1872, at 12 o'clock m., in front
of the premises, in the city of Alexandria, to
sell, by public auction, that desirable brick
dwelling, consisting of a front and rear
HOUSE and LOT, situated on the south side of
Prince street, between Royal and Pitt, beginning127 feet of Pitt street, and running east
on Prince street 31 feet 8 inches; thence south 80 ft.;
thence west with Prince street 31 feet 8 inches;
thence north to the beginning.Terms: One-tenth cash to be paid on the day
of sale, and the residue in equal instalments at
six, twelve and eighteen months, with interest
from the day of sale; the purchaser to give bonds
with approved security for the deferred pay-ments, and the title to be retained until they are
fully paid. Stamps and conveyancing at the cost
of the purchaser. GEO. H. MARKELL,
mh 27-15 Commissioner.

VALUABLE LAND IN FAIRFAX CO.,

AND LOT IN ALEXANDRIA, VA.,

AT PRIVATE OR PUBLIC SALE.—I have
for sale, at very low rates, and on long credits,
30 ACRES OF VALUABLE LAND in
Fairfax county, Va., all within 3 and 7 miles of
Alexandria, and 10 miles of Washington city.—
On good wagon and turnpike roads, and within
one mile of railroads. It is mostly red soil, ly-ing on Backlick and Holmes' Run. About 10
acres of it is beautiful meadow land, not subject
to overflow, and with sufficient timber for all
purposes. It is divided into 7 tracts, of 144, 143,
140, 120, 206, 44 and 34 acres. The first four
tracts adjoin, and form a compact body, and will
be sold together if desired.A LOT OF GROUND in Alexandria, situated
on the east side of Union street, between
Wolfe and Wilkes, adjoining Smith's Foundry
and wharf on the west, fronting on Union st.
120 to 122 feet, running east 80 feet to a 20 feet
alley.Plats of this property can be seen at my office,
No. 5 south Union street, and any part of it not
sold before MONDAY, the 23rd of April,
will, on that day, be offered, at public auction,
in front of the Postoffice, in Alexandria, at 12 m.

The terms will be—One-fourth cash; the resi-

due in one, two and three years, upon note
bearing six per cent interest, payable semi-an-nually, secured by deed of trust on the property.
mh 1-15 WM. H. IRWIN.

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

VALUABLE WHARF PROPERTY FOR

SALE.—By virtue of a deed of trust from
Hugh Smith to W. C. Page and C. W. Wattles,
dated April 26th, 1861, recorded in the
records of Alexandria county, Va., liber M, No. 3,
page 347, to secure The Fire Insurance Com-pany of Alexandria, the undersigned, surviving
trustee, will offer, by public auction, in front of
the Mansion House, in the city of Alexandria,
Va., on SATURDAY, the 27th day of April,
1872, at 12 o'clock m., all that LAND and
WHARF, in the city of Alexandria, situated at
the foot of Wolfe street, and bounded on the
north by said street, on the west by an alley sepa-rating the same from the property of Wm. H.
Irwin, on the south by the property of Robert
W. Hunter, and on the east by the channel of
the Potomac river, with the use of the said al-ley, &c.
Terms: One-fourth cash; the residue in six,
twelve and eighteen months, with interest from
the day of sale, to be secured by negotiable notes,
with approved security, and a deed of trust on
the premises; the purchaser to bear all costs and
expenses of conveyancing and stamps.
C. W. WATTLES,
Surviving Trustee.

feb 21-15

By Green & Wise,

(Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.)

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

restores hair to its natural color and youth-

ful appearance. NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

contains no poisonous substances, no sugar-
of-lead, sulphur or nitrate of silver.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

restores hair from three to ten days in every
instance. We warrant it.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

supplies the hair with new vitality, and hence
stops its falling out.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

is perfectly clean; it does not soil the finger
nails, the finest fabric or anything else. Jewelry,
which has been blackened by the various sul-phur preparations, it not only does not dirty,
but if applied will beautifully cleanse. Try it.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

makes dry and brash hair moist and glossy
without, however, making it sticky, as other
dry articles of this kind do. Pomades and
oils may be used if desired, with this prepara-

tion, without impairing its usefulness.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

restores hair to its natural color in a few days.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

has, in a number of instances, produced a new
growth of hair; though it is not claimed that it
will be successful in every case.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

is put up in large bottles, containing over half as
much more as any other in the market, while its
effects are more prompt and positive; therefore,
it is certainly the most economical article in use.In short, there are a thousand reasons why you
should use it in preference to any other—reasons
which have induced the masses who use hair re-storers to use it—and chief among them is the
perfect safety with which you can apply it. Try it,
if you have not done so already, and though
you may have used something before, or for
years even, yet we can assure you that after giv-ing CRYSTAL DISCOVERY a trial, you will
gladly discard your previous favorite. If your
druggist has not got it, taken no other, for this is the
only preparation you can use with safety, and
which will perform its functions promptly. Ask
him to get it for you. Price one dollar.ARTHUR NATTANS,
Sole Proprietor.

For sale in Alexandria by WARFIELD &

HALL, and druggists generally.

Wholesale Agents: John F. Henry and F. C.
Wells & Co., New York; Johnson, Holloway
& Cowden, Philadelphia. oct 28-29

PAINTS—Lewis' Pure White Lead, Raw

and Boiled Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpen-

tine, Liquid Zinc Dryer, Colors, dyes and in oil,
Lamp Black, Paint Brushes, Sash Tools, and
Coach, Copal and Japan Varishes. We have
all the above in store in large stock, and ear-nestly invite orders, and inquiries for quotations.
JANNEY & CO.
ap 1

HARDWARE AND CUTLERY—A full

and complete assortment of Builders'
Hardware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, &c., to
which we invite the attention of country mer-chants. JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS,
mh 20 63 King street.

FOR SALE—A large sized FIRE-PROOF

SAFE, Valentine & Butler's manufacture;
furnished with drawer, and well adapted for the
use of jewellers. Will be sold cheap. Apply to

ap 4-26 W. D. CORSE & CO., Bankers.

FANCY GOODS.

Ribbons, Millinery & Straw Goods
1872.

ALSO,

WHITE GOODS, EMBROIDERIES, &c.

ARMSTRONG, CATOR & CO.,

Importers, Manufacturers and Jobbers of

BONNET, TRIMMING, NECK AND SASH

RIBBONS, VELVET RIBBONS,
NECK TIES.

Bouquet Silks, Satins, Velvets and Crapes, Flow-

ers, Feathers, Ornaments, Frames, &c.,

Straw Bonnets and Ladies' and Child-

ren's Hats, trimmed and untrimmed,
And, in connection, various White Goods,
Linen, Embroideries, Laces, Nets, Col-lars, Sets, Handkerchiefs, Veiling,
Head Nets, &c., &c.
Nos. 237 and 239 BALTIMORE STREET,
BALTIMORE, MD.

These goods are manufactured by us or bought

for cash directly from the European and Amer-

ican manufacturers, embracing all the latest
novelties, unequalled in variety and cheapness
in any market.

Orders filled with care promptness and dis-

patch. mh 7-1m

CABINET FURNITURE.

WM. H. DEVAUGHAN,

Manufacturer and Dealer in

FURNITURE,
No. 119 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Respectfully calls attention to his large assort-

ment of FURNITURE, which he is selling,
quality considered, as low as can be bought in
this or any other market.PARLOR SUITS, in Hair, Cloth or Reps;
Marble Top Centre Tables, Walnut, Oak,
Racks, Lounges, Office, Dining, Rocking, Side,
and Children's Chairs, Breakfast and Dining
Tables and Hair Top Mattresses constantly on
hand.

Agent for the celebrated

NE PLUS ULTRA SPRING BEDS,
pronounced by those who have examined them
to be the very best Spring Beds ever offered in
this market.

REPAIRING promptly attended to at mod-

erate prices. mh 18-1t

NOTICE OF COPARTNERSHIP.

January 1st, 1872.

I have associated with me as a manufacturer
and dealer in

Cabinet Furniture,

my son,

JAMES M. BRADLEY.

The business will, in future, be conducted un-

der the name of

C. C. BRADLEY & SON.

The new firm hopes to share a portion of the
public patronage, and invites to call and ex-amine their fine and handsome assortment of
PARLOR SUITS,
in Hair, Cloth, Reps and Silk Brocade; Walnut
and Oak Chamber Suits in every variety. We
also have on hand some very beautiful inlaid
Fancy Tables and Portable Writing Desks, Bu-reaux, Bedsteads, Washstands and Chairs of
many styles.

Our stock of Furniture will do well to ex-

amine our stock before purchasing, as we are
prepared to sell at very low figures. Jan 8-1t

FINEST WAREHOUSES IN THE SOUTH

WM. H. MUIR & SON,

Manufacturers of

FURNITURE,
141 and 143 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand. Jan 25

FURNITURE WHOLESALE & RETAIL.

STEPHEN A. GREEN, JAMES E. GREEN.

GREEN & BROS.,

Steam Furniture Works & Saw Mill,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and
most approved machinery, we are prepared to
furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and
SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest
rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of
SAWING, TURNING, MILLING, PLAN-

ING and CARPENTRY in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for Furniture, Walnut,
Poplar, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.
Jan 8-1t

JAMES H. DEVAUGHAN,

No. 130 King street,
Alexandria, Va.

Manufacturer and Dealer in

FURNITURE,
Looking Glasses,
Hair, Cotton Top
and Husk Mattresses,
kept constantly on hand and made to order at
reasonable prices. sep 30-1t

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

is the only and perfect hair restorer which
restores gray hair to its natural color and youth-

ful appearance. NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

contains no poisonous substances, no sugar-
of-lead, sulphur or nitrate of silver.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

restores hair from three to ten days in every
instance. We warrant it.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

supplies the hair with new vitality, and hence
stops its falling out.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

is perfectly clean; it does not soil the finger
nails, the finest fabric or anything else. Jewelry,
which has been blackened by the various sul-phur preparations, it not only does not dirty,
but if applied will beautifully cleanse. Try it.

NATTANS' CRYSTAL DISCOVERY

makes dry and brash hair moist and glossy
without, however, making it sticky, as other
dry articles of this kind do. Pomades and
oils may be